Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 21 Sep 2022 until 23:59 on Thursday 22 Sep 2022

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 21 Sep 2022 at 03:02

Confidence: High for most aspects of the forecast during the next few days. The main uncertainty lies in the position and timing of a band of rain moving southeast on Thursday.

Headline for Wednesday 21 Sep 2022: Dry with bright spells. Breezy on the tops.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 21 Sep 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	10%	10%

Forecast for Wednesday 21 Sep 2022

Weather: Patchy low cloud lifting during the morning then dry with bright or sunny spells. Cloudy in the evening with some light possible towards midnight.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: Mainly 80%, but 40% at first and again in the evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Occasional cloud and fog above 600m at first. This lifting to leave good visibility for most of the day but some patchy cloud will lower onto the summits again in the evening.

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Forecast for Wednesday 21 Sep 2022

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	16/22 S	16/22 SW	21/29 SW	20/28 S	19/27 S	25/36 S	21/31 S
300	3/8 S	9/14 SW	13/22 SW	12/21 S	9/18 S	13/24 SW	12/23 SW
Valley	1/7 S	8/15 SW	12/21 S	11/21 S	8/19 S	10/21 S	11/23 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	10/6	9/6	11/7	12/9	12/9	11/7	10/6
300	11/10	12/10	14/11	15/13	14/13	13/11	12/10
Valley	11/11	13/12	15/13	16/14	16/14	15/13	14/12
Freezing Level*	2900m	2600m	2600m	2700m	2800m	2800m	2800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

A breezy but dry day on the tops with winds gradually picking up through the afternoon and evening.

Forecast for Thursday 22 Sep 2022

Weather: Rain will be persistent and heavy during the night and morning giving drenching conditions. The rain will move away south during the afternoon followed by dry and bright or clear conditions.

Maximum wind: South or southwest average speed 30 to 35mph with gusts of 45mph, easing westerly 10-15mph during the afternoon.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 10%, improving to 80% during the afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Poor during the morning with extensive low cloud and fog above 300 or 400m. Improving quickly in the afternoon with cloud clearing.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 12C rising to 16 or 17C.
At 700m: Plus 11C.
Freezing level: Well above summits.

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